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1. Training courses for border police from the border sector of SONNEBERG (M 51/J 40) - PROBSTZELLA (M 51/J 52), Thuringia, are being conducted in HASSENTHAL (M 51/J 41).
2. The four-week courses include political schooling, technical police instruction and military training.
3. The courses are also attended by young police from the MEININGEN (M 51/H 82) police school, who will be assigned as reinforcements to the border police posts upon completion of the courses.
4. Separate courses for political instructors are conducted in HASSENTHAL. Political instructors who graduate from such courses will be assigned to each border police post.

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